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TOUCH LIVE WIRES, ONE DEAD, OTHER CANNOT LIVE

Prominent Business Man of Norfolk Killed Instantly—Several See Him Fall.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
NORFOLK, Va., July 17.—Milton A. Roach, justice of the peace and prominent business man of South Norfolk, met a sudden death by coming in contact with a live wire. No one witnessed the death of Mr. Roach, but the electric burns in his hands and the wire hanging by told the story of the tragedy, which occurred on Ohio Street, near Jackson, and within a half block of Mr. Roach's home. It was a telephone wire, receiving its death dealing current from a heavily charged electric light or street railway wire. William McPherson, Barry Davis and others saw him fall to the ground, but did not see him take hold of the wire. Death was almost instantaneous.

Electrician Tries to Cut Wire. Hands Not Insulated—Terribly Burned.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
CHARLOTTE, N. C., July 17.—H. G. Putnam, electrician at the Hotel Selwyn, met with a fatal accident this afternoon while attempting to repair some wire trouble. Without rubber gloves Putnam tried to cut a wire charged with 2,500 volts of electricity. When the pliers cut through the insulation there was a flash and report, and the young man fell fifteen feet through a skylight to the floor beneath. Putnam's arm was burned black and the pliers were burned to a white heat. He was quickly removed to the Presbyterian Hospital, where physicians say he cannot recover. He was badly cut and bruised by his fall. Putnam came here a short time ago from Atlanta. He is unmarried and twenty-six years old.

MRS. WALKER'S FRIENDS SAY SHE FEELS MUCH AGGRIEVED

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
NORFOLK, Va., July 17.—Mrs. Frank Anthony Walker will spend to-morrow at the Jamestown Exposition, but will not be seen at Beauvoir, the exposition building of the Daughters of the Confederacy, which she more than any other person was instrumental in having built.

Mrs. Walker refused to be interviewed to-day as to her differences with the daughters, but it is a fact that Mrs. Walker and not a few of her friends do feel aggrieved over the alleged snub recognition accorded her after all that she did in the interest of the building. Mrs. Walker's friends say for her that she has been ignored in the management of the ceremonies connected with the building. The report that Mrs. Walker would be out of the city to-morrow is a mistake.

EMPEROR OF KOREA ASKED TO ABDICATE

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under an absolute monarchy, the democratic custom has existed since olden days of demanding the retirement from the throne of a sovereign whose conduct endangers the national welfare. When such an occasion arises the ministers shall appear before their ruler, one acting as spokesman, humbly suggest the advisability of the Emperor's retirement in favor of a rightful successor. When this state is reached, the Emperor is morally bound to abdicate.

The request made by the Premier of Korea apparently is the beginning of the end of this ancient empire, and the inauguration of a closer control by Japan than that she has exercised since the treaty of Portsmouth, recognized her predominant influence in the Hermit Kingdom as one of the fruits of victory over Russia. For a long period Korea was under the suzerainty of China, but in 1894-95 Japan drove China out of the peninsula and Korea enjoyed a brief period of independence. In 1904 Japan stepped into Korean affairs with a view to securing independence and territorial integrity, but since that year the Japanese influence has grown in extent and power, until finally to-day Korea faces, in the abdication of the present Emperor, the final extinction of her claims to recognition as an independent State, for installation of a nominal Emperor, selected by the statesmen of Japan, seems to have been entirely under the sway of the Japanese.

INTERESTS OF AMERICANS WILL NOT BE AFFECTED
WASHINGTON, D. C., July 17.—It is not seen here how American interests can be adversely affected by what has taken place in Korea, for although certain Americans are in possession of concessions for railway and mining exploitations in that country, it is assumed that Japan will faithfully regard such obligations. In the absence of any coming into control of the country, it is true that by treaty the United States at one time undertook to guarantee the integrity of Korea, but in recent years it has been held that the

A SMALL SECRET Couldn't Understand the Taste of His Customers.

Two men were discussing the various food products now being supplied in such variety and abundance. One, a grocer, said, "I frequently try a package or so of any certain article before offering it to my trade, and in that way sometimes form a different idea than that of my customers have." For instance, I thought I would try some Postum Food Coffee, to see what reason there was for such a call for it. At breakfast I didn't like it and supper proved the same, so I naturally concluded that my taste was different from that of the customers who bought it right along.

A day or two after, I waited on a lady who was buying a 25c-package and told her I couldn't understand how one could fancy the taste of Postum.

"I know just what is the matter," she said, "you put the coffee boiler on the stove for just fifteen minutes, and ten minutes of that time it simmered, and perhaps five minutes it boiled, now if you will have it left to boil full fifteen minutes after it commences to boil, you will find a delicious Java-like beverage, rich in food value of gluten and phosphates, so choice that you will never abandon it, particularly when you see the great gain in health." Well, I took another trial and sure enough I joined the Postum army for good, and life seems worth living since I have gotten rid of my old time stomach and kidney troubles.

Postum is no sort of medicine, but pure liquid food, and this, together with a reliable hot coffee worked the change. "There's a Reason."

Road "The Road to Wellville," in pills.

COL. AYRES NOT WILLING TO RETIRE

He So Replies When Questioned by the Army Retiring Board.

NEW YORK, July 17.—An inquiry into the mental and physical condition of Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Ayres by the retiring board of the United States Army recently appointed by the War Department to make the examination, was begun to-day to determine whether Colonel Ayres is able to continue in active service in the army. This inquiry is the outcome of the difficulties Mrs. Ayres, wife of Colonel Ayres, has had with the War Department and the officials of West Point, which culminated in the exclusion of Mrs. Ayres from the grounds of West Point.

Lieutenant-Colonel Ayres was asked by the president of the board whether he desired to be retired, and replied that he did not.

VICTIM OF ALCOHOLISM AND MIND UNBALANCED.

PARIS, July 17.—An investigation into the history of Leon Malle, the naval reservist who fired two revolver shots at President Fallieres on the streets of Paris last Sunday, leaves no doubt that the man is unbalanced. Furthermore, he has been a victim of alcoholism for years. He is possessed of the mania of persecution, and fancied that the State should restore to him his identity, of which he was robbed at his birth.

TRIED TO BRIBE JURORS IN TRIAL OF SCHMITZ.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 17.—Charges that efforts were made to bribe two members of the jury that tried and convicted former Mayor George William Schmitz, were laid before a grand jury to-day. The two jurymen involved, R. W. Clendenen and Charles D. Kelly, gave testimony to sustain the charge.

SOUTHERN WHOLESALE GROCERS IN SESSION IN BALTIMORE.

BALTIMORE, Md., July 17.—The second day's session of the convention of the Southern Wholesale Grocers' Association opened to-day with the formal address of welcome by Mayor J. N. Mahon, which was replied to by President Van Hoose, of the association.

FOURTEEN PERSONS INJURED IN STREET CAR COLLISION.

BUTLER, Pa., July 17.—Fourteen persons were injured, seven seriously, in a street car collision to-day on the lines of the Butler Passenger Railway at the Standard Street Car Works terminal. A Standard car, carrying a full load of passengers, was struck by a trolley car of the same company. C. W. Barker is not expected to recover.

Bankhead's Election Ratified.
MONTGOMERY, Ala., July 17.—The two houses of the Legislature to-day in joint session ratified the election of John H. Bankhead to the United States Senate. He succeeds Senator Morgan, deceased, for a term of six years.

FOOD EXPERTS IN A BITTER CONTEST

State and Federal Department Commissioners Line Up Solidly Against Each Other.

THE LAW LOOSELY DRAWN

So Say State Inspectors, and Point to Fact That No Federal Prosecutions Occur.

TO-MORROW'S PROGRAM AT JAMESTOWN EXPOSITION

Sunday-School Day.
Convention's meeting, W. C. T. U., at Virginia Auditorium room, 10 A. M. to 1 P. M.
Guardmount, Twenty-third Infantry.
Exhibition of Weather Bureau earthquake recorder, Government Building A.
Special exhibition by the Flak Jubilee Singers at the Negro Building.
Mexican Band, Kentucky Reservation.
Children's assembly at Pine Grove, Kentucky Reservation.

WENT FOR DOLL, FOUND BURGLAR

Richmond Lady Has Exciting Experience in Home of Friends Near Baltimore.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
BALTIMORE, Md., July 17.—Mrs. Carrie Jones, of Richmond, is very fond of dolls, and always carries one when she travels. She is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. William E. White at their country home on the Falls Road, near this city, and last evening she left Mr. White's family sitting on the front porch, and went to her room to get a doll which she had brought from Richmond. A few minutes later the family heard her screams, and rushed to the room just in time to see a man's form disappear through the window. Mrs. Jones had surprised a bold second-story man at work, and the fright threw her into hysterics. She had recovered this evening.

The thief got away with \$200 worth of jewelry belonging to Mrs. Jones's hostess.

TELEGRAPH STRIKE IS NOT SETTLED

President Small Hopes for Better Times for Operators—Stockholders and Public.

OAKLAND, Cal., July 17.—After a meeting of the telegraphers in West Oakland to-day, President Small said: "I expect to leave Oakland within the next forty-eight hours for Chicago, where I will remain until the executive board meet in that city next Tuesday. The insinuation that there exists friction between the officers of the union is nonsense."

"The strike in San Francisco and Oakland will continue," said President Small, "unless the telegraphers are able to fill the positions, and there is no worry about strike-breakers. The talk about calling another strike is misleading. The telegraphers everywhere desire an adjustment of difficulties once for all. We have come to place where we must assert our rights, and I predict a change in the telegraphic world in the near future—one that will augur well for the prosperity of those engaged in the service, the stockholders of the companies, and improved service to the public."

QUARTER MILLION DAMAGE FOR LIBEL

LIVERPOOL, July 17.—The attempt made in the fall of 1906 to organize a huge soap combine in the United Kingdom, which quickly came to an end under the pressure of adverse public opinion, had a sensational sequel in the Assize Court to-day, when William Hesketh Lever, member of Parliament, secured judgment for damages of \$250,000 and costs against the Harmsworth newspapers, the London Daily Mail and the London Evening News, for libels published by them following the attempt to bring about the combination. Mr. Lever is declared, took a leading part in the efforts to establish the soap combine. The damages awarded are by far the largest ever paid for libel in this country.

TWO NEW DIRECTORS BY CAROLINA-CHEMICAL.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
JERSEY CITY, N. J., July 17.—At the annual stockholders' meeting of the Carolina Chemical Company, held to-day, the retiring board of directors was re-elected with the exception of J. B. Dennis and E. S. Stansbury, who were succeeded by L. Odum and W. N. Reynolds. The board will meet for organization to-morrow and re-elect the retiring officers.

Dr. Levy Speaks.

A speaker at the convention to-day was Dr. E. C. Levy, chief health officer of Richmond, who, in a comprehensive address, explained the nature of the work being done in his and other Virginia cities in preventing the sale of impure food.

FORMER PRESIDENT OF SENeca DIES IN WASHINGTON

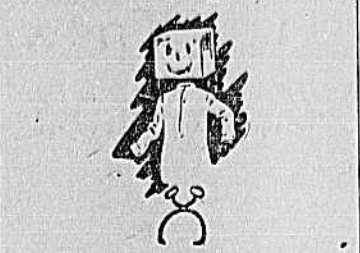
WASHINGTON, July 17.—Andrew John, former president of the Seneca Indian Nation, died of heart failure at the Emergency Hospital to-day at the age of 70. He had been in the institution for some time, and was suffering from a long illness. He was a prominent figure in the Seneca community and had been a member of the National Congress of American Indians.

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Sudden Death of Colonel J. M. Neal

Prominent Danville Man Succumbs to Heart Disease When Left Alone for Moment.

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COL. JAMES M. NEAL.
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
DANVILLE, Va., July 17.—Colonel James M. Neal, a well-known citizen of Danville, died to-day at the General Hospital after a brief illness of heart trouble. He was found dead in his room at 9 o'clock, death having resulted suddenly a few minutes before the discovery. He was sixty-two years of age, and was a prominent citizen of the city. He was a member of the Confederate army, serving as courier and postmaster at Danville under President Cleveland. After the war he embarked in the warehouse business here, which he followed for many years.

Colonel Neal was a member of the Dove Commandery, Knights-Templars; an Odd-Fellow and a vestryman in the Church of the Epiphany. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. O. A. Neal, of Montgomery, Ala., and the following brothers and sisters: Thomas D. Jr., and W. G. Neal, of Richmond; Mrs. Sam Graham, of Washington; Mrs. J. G. Neal, of Richmond; Mrs. J. B. Neal, of Richmond; and Mrs. Roush, of Henderson, Ky.

OBITUARY.

Funeral of Dr. White.
The funeral of Dr. Isaiah White, one of the most prominent physicians in Richmond, who died in his home, No. 219 East Main Street, at 10 o'clock yesterday morning, took place from his home at 10 o'clock yesterday morning. The Rev. Mr. Dowman, rector of All Saints' Church, conducted the services. The following gentlemen acted as pallbearers: Joseph Beasley, C. U. Williams, Otway Allen, Dr. C. W. P. Brock, Dr. William Gordon, Dr. George Ross, James L. Baker, and J. H. Talbot. Dr. J. C. Cabell, Palmer Lefler, B. O. Forbes, Dr. Leake, John Hill and P. H. Estes.

Funeral of Mrs. Neal.
Mrs. J. M. Neal, aged sixty-two years, died at her residence, No. 219 East Main Street, at 2:15 o'clock yesterday afternoon. She is survived by her wife and nine children—Mrs. R. L. Walton, Miss Elsie Leslie, Joseph, Eldridge, Leon and Carlisle Neal. The funeral will take place to-morrow morning, with requiem mass.

Funeral of Mr. Neal.
Mr. L. W. Neal, aged sixty-two years, died at his residence, No. 219 East Main Street, at 2:15 o'clock yesterday afternoon. He is survived by his wife and nine children—Mrs. R. L. Walton, Miss Elsie Leslie, Joseph, Eldridge, Leon and Carlisle Neal. The funeral will take place to-morrow morning, with requiem mass.

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Bankrupt Notices.

NOTICE OF FIRST MEETING OF CREDITORS.
In the District Court of the UNITED STATES FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA, in and for the County of Henrico, do hereby give notice that on the 15th day of July, A. D. 1907, the said James Donald was duly adjudicated bankrupt, and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at my office, Rooms Nos. 802 and 803, American National Bank Building, Richmond, Va., on the 25TH DAY OF JULY, A. D. 1907, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the books, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.
Referee in Bankruptcy,
JULY 17, 1907.
Thos. B. SNEAD,
Nummison and Minor, counsel for bankrupt.

NOTICE OF FIRST MEETING OF CREDITORS.
In the District Court of the UNITED STATES FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA, in and for the County of Henrico, do hereby give notice that on the 15th day of July, A. D. 1907, the said Walter L. Hanes was duly adjudicated bankrupt, and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at my office, Rooms Nos. 802 and 803, American National Bank Building, Richmond, Va., on the 25TH DAY OF JULY, A. D. 1907, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the books, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.
Referee in Bankruptcy,
JULY 17, 1907.
Edgar B. English, attorney for bankrupt.

Bloomingdale

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the partnership lately subsisting between us, the undersigned, W. Fred Richardson and Charles L. Chappell, carrying on business as General Directors and the storage of furniture at 301 West Main Street, under the style or firm of Richardson & Chappell, in the city of Richmond, Va., was on the 8th day of July, 1907, dissolved by mutual consent, and that the business in future will be carried on by the said W. Fred Richardson alone, as successor to Richardson & Chappell, who will pay and discharge all debts and liabilities, and receive all moneys payable to the said late firm.

W. FRED RICHARDSON,
CHARLES L. CHAPPELL.